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School Orchestra Will Broadcast

The Didsbury School Orchestra will be on the air on Saturday evening over Calgary Station CFAC.

They accepted an invitation from the Herald station and have been allotted half an hour, from 8:30 to 9 p.m.

Following is the program:

1. March . . . "Flag of True"
- 2 Waltz . . . "Over the Waves"
- 3 Solo . . . "Kerry Dance"
Lois Edwards
- 4 Selection "The Merry Peasant" and Little Robin Redbreast"
- 5 Solo . . . "Little Black Me"
Jack Edwards
- 6 Operatic Selection "At the Opera"
- 7 Solo . . . "Desert Song"
Alice Heitman
- 8 Overture . . . Bright Star
- 9 Emerald Waltz

Tune in CFAC (930 kilocycles)
Saturday March 7 8:30 to 9 p.m.

Knox United Church Notes.

The service in Didsbury will be in charge of Rev. F. Vincent, of the M.B.C. Church. This is part of an arrangement in which some of the local ministers are exchanging pulpits—a fraternal gesture of goodwill. We urge a full attendance and cordially invite all friends.

The service at Westcott will be at 2 p.m., and the sermon topic, "Thou Shalt Not Covet."

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High School Concert Delights Audience.

"It was an excellent program," was the remark that could be heard on every hand by those who attended the concert given by the High School pupils in the opera house on Friday evening.

The hall was filled to capacity and the audience was more than appreciative.

The three one act plays were put on in a manner which was a credit both to the cast and the directors.

The following were the cast:

"HIS JUST DESSERTS"
Kit "A hot tempered tomboy"
Betty Boorman

Oscar "A bookworm" K. Stauffer

Max & David "A couple of smarties"

M. Caithness and D. Phillipson

Miss Lois "The hostess"

Laura Megli

Mrs. Twineford "Society matron"

Josie Booker

Director: Miss I. Rupp

"LUNCHEON FOR SIX"

Lois "High spirited and red haired"

Lorna Clarke

Osborn "A bluff salesman"

H. Gulliver

Mrs. Osborn "His worried wife"

Doris Friesen

Mary Wilcox "The flirt"

Edith Webster

Edgar Barton "Business man"

C. Cunningham

Geo. Stewart, 6th Guest for Lunch

A. Boorman

Director: Mr. O. Kirk

"HUGO IN A HURRY"

Sparks "The scientific mover"

B. Clarke

Hugo "A big softy in love"

D. Foote

Mrs. Hale "Officious busybody"

Evelyn McGhee

Mrs. Butler "Manages Mrs. Hale"

Laura Buhr

Mr. Butler "A harassed husband"

W. Ranton

Letty "The Butler maid"

Evelyn Barnes

Director: Mr. D. R. Cameron

Before and between the plays choruses were given by the pupils and selections by the school orchestra.

The school orchestra has been heard before and the improvement in their technique is quite noticeable. They play very nicely and seem to enjoy it. They are a real credit to their directors, Mr. C. R. Ford.

The choruses by 48 students, under the direction of Mr. Kirk, were well rendered and showed there is musical talent among the pupils when properly brought out.

The new scenery was built and painted by the boys and footlights and lighting effects were designed by the pupils assisted by their teacher.

The High School teachers are to be complimented on their efforts in training the pupils and the public will be looking forward to other such programs.

An illustrated lecture on Social Credit will be given at the Opera House on Tuesday evening, Mar. 10 at 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Mr. C. M. Wilmett, of Calgary, who is an entertaining speaker, and his lecture, illustrated with lantern slides should be very interesting.

Douglas Resigns as Alberta's Adviser

Major C. H. Douglas has given notice to Premier William Aberhart that he intends to terminate his contract as chief adviser to the Alberta government on social credit management.

The founder of Social Credit has written Mr. Aberhart that circumstances have arisen under which "it was impossible for him to carry out his policies. Interference of other officials in the management had constituted a danger to Alberta and a breach of contract with myself."

Howson Appointed to Judgeship

W. R. Howson, leader of the provincial Liberal party, has been appointed a judge of the Supreme Court of Alberta in succession to Mr. Justice Boyle, who died a fortnight ago.

Resignation of Mr. Howson as an Edmonton member, due to his appointment to the bench would not likely lead to other parties in the provincial house contesting the seat in a by-election, it appeared Monday. Their disposition would be to allow the seat to go to a Liberal by acclamation.

SOCIAL CREDIT NOTES.

Wednesday last the Didsbury District Social Credit Council held a meeting at the Secondhand Store, with the president, Mr. M. Weber, in the chair. Several resolutions regarding the Enlarged School Districts, Compulsory Automobile Insurance, and the Town Act, were read and thoroughly discussed. It was decided to invite E. P. Foster, M. L. A. to address a mass meeting in Didsbury soon after the session in Edmonton is over, and to make arrangements with Mr. Wilmett, of Calgary, to come to Didsbury about the middle of March to give an address and to bring his lantern slides for demonstration.

Didsbury Pioneer Group held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Mr. J. H. Helm on Monday evening, with about thirty members and some visitors present. After business was dispensed with refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Otto Klein on Monday evening.

DIDSURY MARKETS.

WHEAT

No. 1 Northern65
No. 264½
No. 363
No. 458
No. 554
No. 646
No. 1 C.W. Garnet.....	.60
No. 2 C.W. Garnet.....	.57½

OATS

No. 2 C.W.23½
No. 317½
Extra No. 1 Feed17½

BARLEY

No. 321
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New Curling Schedule Arranged.

The chinook has put a stop to curling for the present, but a meeting was held Friday to arrange a new schedule for the balance of the season.

The old skips stepped down and new skips were elected. The following rinks were chosen, the first named being skip:

Ross, McGhee, Kirk, Studer,

Sinclair, McNaughton, Berscht, Clarke,

Weber, Kirby, L. Berscht, Gillrie,

Wordie, McCloy, Walt McCoy,

T. Wyman.

W. Wyman, Liesemer, Gabel,

Watkin.

Halton, Johnson, Wallace, Bahr,

Heselton, Jack Caithness, Goertz,

Kaufman, Pitt, Ranton, Halliday,

McFarquhar, Brusso, Topley,

Chambers.

Nowak, Fisher, Adshead, Tom

Morris.

At the Movies.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which is playing at the movies tonight, is an old classic filmed again with a modern cast. It was a big success as a silent picture, but is going over bigger than ever as a talkie. Pauline Lord makes a great Mrs. Wiggs, her original role in the Broadway stage production. She is helped along in the comedy by Zasu Pitts and W. C. Fields.

On Saturday, Jane Withers, the little girl with lots of pep, is here in "Ginger." This new child actress is getting to be a big favorite with movie fans and "Ginger" is a role which brings out her best talents. She is supported by O. P. Heggie, Jackie Searl and Katherine Alexander.

Have you met the filling station attendant who, as a final touch, says

to the driver, "Now may I clean

your spectacles?" or the one who says,

"Now may I wash your ears?"

Public School Will Present Operetta

Didsbury Public School will present a very colorful operetta entitled "The Magic Piper" in the Opera House on Friday, March 13 at 8:30 p.m.

This operetta is based on Browning's poem, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," with extra scenes in which the children return

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Making And Unmaking Deserts

The area known to-day as the prairie provinces of Western Canada appeared on the maps a few decades back under the designation "Great American Desert".

That was a misnomer, known only to a handful of people who wanted to maintain the area as a preserve for fur-bearing animals. The truth was that the great bulk of this large territory was not only not a desert but was covered with a luxuriant turf and a substantial portion of it was the habitat of trees and shrubs.

Like most truths this verity came to light and thousands of people flocked in, converted millions of acres into farmsteads and proved that the land was good and capable of producing quality grains, grasses, vegetables and livestock in abundance.

After taking possession of this newly-discovered heritage the settlers proceeded to develop it. The sod was turned over, at first a few acres at the time but later, with modern equipment more accessible, they plowed it up by the square mile and grew grain in huge fields. Trees were cut down and every shrub torn out by the roots. Mile long furrows without an impediment was the objective. Prairie sod, except for small reserves for pasture disappeared. Trees and shrubs vanished.

Then came the summer-fallow method of cultivation to give the land a rest from cropping and permit it to store up a reservoir of moisture for a succeeding crop. In this process the land was worked up into a fine tilth—turned into dust, the finer the better, it was thought.

By the time this system had become well established, the humus and root fibre of the original prairie sod was well worked out and the soil became finer texture each succeeding year. Then came the drought, several years of it for some sections, and during this period the high prairie winds whipped the fine dusty soil into the air, drove it hither and yon, piling it up against fences and buildings and covering highways and what pasturage remained.

In some districts the fine soil was swept off down to hardpan and that is the plight of these districts to-day. If these reckless methods are continued, the denuded area will increase in size and unless an extensive program of rehabilitation is followed the time may come when the "Great American Desert" will be a reality instead of the misnomer it once was.

There is abundance of evidence that man can and does make deserts, as witness W. L. Lowdermilk, associate chief of the Soil Conservation Service, United States department of agriculture, who declared in a recent magazine article that the history of civilization "may be interpreted in terms of soil erosion, so direct is the relation between the productive condition of soils and the prosperity of the people."

Mr. Lowdermilk refers to archaeological discoveries demonstrating that the Sahara and Asian deserts, arid parts of Palestine, Mesopotamia and the Gobi and North China deserts were once teeming with human life and outlines the process which eventually converts fertile lands into areas of aridity and sterility.

Many students have attributed desiccation and the consequent drying up of streams to the removal of forests. That is only part of the story. The great enemy of the human race is soil erosion which has been associated with the habitations of man since before the dawn of history. The removal of vegetation, whether grass, brush or forest, exposes soils to the dash of rain or the blast of wind, against which they have been protected for thousands of years.

Topsoils blow away or wash away or both. Unprotected sloping lands are usually bared to hard and tight subsoils which drain off the water as from a tiled roof. The perennial streams, deprived of their reservoirs of supply, dry up except in rainy seasons, when they become torrential floods and sweep boulders and debris down the slope to deposit them on otherwise fertile lands. Then starving wild or domestic herds clean the devastated areas of all palatable vegetation, only to reduce the effectiveness of tilled areas of all palatable vegetation, only to reduce the effectiveness of

Truly, a dismal outlook, but fortunately residents of the western provinces and their governments are becoming aware of the danger and, for the first time serious efforts are being made to stem this waste and prevent ultimate disaster. Reference to the work and program of the Federal conservation committee in this connection was made in this column recently. Provided there is widespread knowledge of the causes of soil erosion and a lively appreciation of the plight to which it may ultimately lead, there need be no fears that plans will be rendered abortive for lack of co-operation on the part of the general public. For, if deserts can be made by man they can also be restored to fertility by human agencies working co-operatively but it is a slow process and an uphill job.

Included in the several recuperative agencies which the committee hopes to press into service to repair the damage already done and prevent further serious loss is a tree planting program. This year five million trees are to be distributed free to farmers in the three provinces from the Indian Head experimental farm. While five million may sound like a lot of trees, they will only make a small contribution to the problem. Many more will have to be planted to be effective on a scale proportionate to the problem to be solved.

In recent French army manoeuvres motorized troops were judged superior to cavalry.

According to the most reliable historical records, approximately 13,000,000 human lives have been lost in earthquakes.

"The Bedouins," says a returned traveler, "are as arrant thieves as ever." Still silently stealing away,

In Java, thunderstorms are almost a daily occurrence.

Death Ray Harnessed

Will Now Be Assigned To The Task Of Saving Human Lives

The most potent death ray yet devised by man was assigned to the task of saving human lives.

Tests of its power in this respect were prepared in the physics laboratory of the University of Illinois.

The ray, a beam of neutrons 14 times more deadly than X-rays, was to be shot from a scientific "gun" now being assembled under the direction of Dr. P. G. Krugere.

Human approach within 50 feet of the "gun" was unsafe because of the speed with which the ray destroys the white corpuscles of the blood. All shields, including those normally used for protection against X-rays and radium, are vulnerable to the deadly beams. The "gun" must be operated by remote control from a distant switchboard.

Experiments have shown, Dr. Krugere said, that the rays reduce the white blood count from 8,000 to 300 or 400.

Although this means almost certain death to normal humans, the physicist asserted, it may mean just the opposite to victims of leukemia, the disease in which white corpuscles grow so fast they kill off the life bearing red ones.

Another possibility, he said, was use of the ray to kill the wild growing cells of cancer and Hodgkin's disease.

Bodyguard To King Edward

Chief Inspector Of Scotland Yard Named For Post

The personal bodyguard of King Edward VIII. will be Chief Inspector David Storier of Scotland Yard, former school teacher who acted in that capacity for Edward as Prince of Wales and accompanied him on his tour of Argentina.

Inspector Storier took over those duties a few years ago on the death of Chief Inspector Burt, who had performed them for ten years, "shadowing the Prince all over the world."

The new king, like his father, always has shown the greatest consideration for the man appointed as his personal "shadow". King George always treated Inspector Hill—at present in command of Buckingham Palace police—like a friend.

Superintendent Green, personal detective of the late King, will now act in a similar capacity for Queen Mother Mary.

SELECTED RECIPES

COFFEE CAKE

Temperature: 400 degrees F.

Time: 25 minutes.

1½ cups bread flour

¼ cup "Crown Brand" Corn Syrup

½ cup milk

½ cup sugar

2 teaspoons baking powder

½ teaspoon salt

¼ cup shortening

1 egg

Sift together the flour, sugar, baking powder and salt. Cut in the shortening with a dough blender.

Beat the egg until light, then add the milk and the "Crown Brand" Corn Syrup. Add to the flour mixture and stir just as little as possible. Pat into a 9-inch cake pan which has been greased with Mazola. Spread the top with melted butter and then sprinkle on lightly the following mixture:

2 tablespoons butter

2 tablespoons "Crown Brand"

Corn Syrup

2 tablespoons Benson's Corn

Starch.

¼ cup cracker or cookie crumbs

½ teaspoon cinnamon

This crumb mixture should be well mixed before patting into place on top of the batter. Bake the Coffee Cake in a hot oven and serve hot.

Luxury For Women Miners

Women workers of the Minto coal mine at Lochgelly, Scotland, are to enjoy the luxuries of \$75,000 pithead baths, which have just been built. In brightly decorated rooms they are to enjoy spray baths, rest on divans, dry their hair before electric fires and have working clothes air-dried and cleaned ready for the next day's work.

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Protest Tax

Appeal Will Be Made To Privy Council In England

Appeal will be made to the privy council to determine the constitutionality of the Manitoba government's two per cent wage tax as it applies to federal government employees in that province, it was learned in Winnipeg. Decision of counsel for the civil servants to carry the appeal to the Empire's highest tribunal follows the recent adverse decision handed down by the supreme court of Canada. It is believed the case will be argued in London next June.

Colonization

Four plans of colonization in Saskatchewan, financed by British capital, have been outlined to the provincial government by a delegation of citizens from Melfort and Wolseley.

Start Lonely Task

Men Building Fog Signal Off Coast Of Scotland

Five men have started on the loneliest task in all Britain. They are building an automatic fog signal beacon on the Stob Gorm, a rock in the Atlantic two miles north of the island of Croll, off the coast of Scotland. The men are living in a hut on the rock, and may be marooned there for many weeks.

Colorful Styles For Men

Colored dinner coats, pastel champagne coats, royal blue evening capes and Algerian striped suitings were featured among the 1936 styles for men which were released when hundreds of delegates from all over Canada and the United States gathered in Toronto for the annual international convention of the Merchant Tailors' Association.

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Observations Confirm Theory That Universe Is Increasing In Size

Is the Universe infinite? If not, how big is it? Is it expanding, or does its size remain constant?

Three leading men of science, Sir Arthur Eddington, Sir James Jeans, and Dr. Edwin Hubble, of the Mount Wilson Observatory, U.S.A., have all made statements on these questions.

Sir Arthur Eddington has just confirmed by theory the astronomical observations that the universe is doubling its size every 1,300,000,000 years.

It has frequently been asserted, both according to theory and practice, that the universe is expanding; but Sir Arthur Eddington's calculations for the rate of growth from theory alone were at first about twice as big as those calculated astronomically from the fact that objects in the heavens appear to be rushing farther and farther away from us.

Further calculations have now made the figures very nearly agree!

Sir James Jeans thinks the size of the universe will be definitely known some day.

Speaking at the Royal Institution in London he said: "Assuming space to be finite and therefore spherical, with a telescope ten times more powerful than the world's most powerful at present, the additional area of space brought within our vision would not be ten times the present visual area. The number of fresh nebulae would accordingly decrease in proportion."

"From this we hope ultimately to calculate the size of the universe."

And this is what Dr. Edwin Hubble had to say in a lecture at Yale University about the world's present largest telescope.

"Our great 100-inch telescope can see as far as 500 million light years away," he said, "and the whole space revealed is covered with nebulae to the number of about 100 million, which appear like swarms of stars travelling like a colony of bees in flight."

As far as can be seen, he went on, there is not a trace of a void in the universe in any direction.

"The telescope detects nothing whatever to forecast how much farther man must see to find any frontier of creation, or even to find anything startlingly different."

May Be Good Market

China Offers Prospects For Canadian Pearl Barley

There would seem to be a larger market opening up for Canadian pearl barley in the Hongkong market, due to the scarcity of suitable sized barley from Germany, the principal supplying country along with Holland. Canada and the United States have about an equal share of the barley market, with Canada supplying a shade larger quantity, according to the Agricultural Department of the Canadian National Railways. German barley is favored for its cheapness, color and roundness of kernel, although importers are inclined to the opinion that the North American article is superior in uniformity, grading and absence of dust. The principal objection to barley from North America, apart from price, is discoloration of the kernels and tendency towards an oval shape.

Evidently Knows Good Food

Cow In South African Town Is Fond Of Eggs

An egg-eating cow is the pride of Komgha, a little town in Cape Province, South Africa. All day long it forages around the native huts looking for eggs which the hens usually lay in the open. When it finds a nest, the cow devours the eggs, shell and all. Hens which offer opposition do so at risk of their lives. Recently a hen sat defiant on her eggs and the cow, becoming angry, ate her, and then finished off the eggs in the usual way.

Bulls become just as enraged before a white object as a red one. It is the sight of a strange figure, and not the color, which excites them.

Belongs To Bean Family

Contrary To General Idea Peanut Is A Vegetable

It happens that the peanut in reality is not a nut at all, but a vegetable. It belongs to the bean family and sometimes is called the burrowing bean. This name arises from a peculiar trait of the plant: After it has grown to a height of between one and two feet and put forth blossoms the flower withers and the stalk on which it grows elongates and bends down, forcing the young pods underground. There they mature and then are dug and dried.

Doubtless this unusual habit of the peanut accounts for some of the peculiar names by which it is known, and it may be that these names have something to do with the unfortunate fact that the peanut has never held as high a place in the public esteem as it really deserves. Admittedly, it may be difficult to regard with much seriousness a product known variously as monkey food, goobers, ground-nuts, or earth-nuts.

Anyway, Texans have a right to feel that any levity in connection with peanuts is misplaced for a crop that can be depended on to put from \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000 annually into the pockets of Texas farmers is not to be scorned. —Texas Weekly.

Seed Shortage

Alberta Is In Need Of Seed Oats, Barley And Wheat

Preliminary surveys indicated the Alberta government probably will be called upon to supply more than 1,000,000 bushels of seed oats, 300,000 bushels of barley and a large quantity of wheat for spring seeding. O. S. Longman, field crops commissioner of the Alberta department of agriculture, told several hundred Calgary and district farmers in an address at Calgary.

Considerable seed that was not of a grade desired by officials, undoubtedly would have to be sown, Mr. Longman said, but widespread and early frosts had created a difficult position in the province. The barley situation provided a problem and supplies would have to be obtained from outside Alberta, the commissioner added.

The seed situation was the worst in his 20 years' experience, according to G. M. Stewart, inspector for the Dominion seed branch.

New Type Of Clinic

Vienna Doctor Intends Opening One For Jealous People

Interest has been aroused at Vienna by the recent researches of Dr. Wilhelm Stekel into the causes of jealousy. Dr. Stekel claims that there has been a great increase in jealousy cases since the world crisis. The reason, he says, is that an unemployed person has more time to devote to his own ego, and therefore discovers many things which he had not noticed before. Social problems help the growth of pathological jealousy. Dr. Stekel, who intends to open a clinic for people suffering from jealousy, thinks that patients will find great relief if they can discuss their case with a doctor. If the jealousy is unfounded, the patient must be convinced by careful persuasion that his fears are absolutely without any foundation.

To Spite His Relatives

Just because he does not like his relatives Ramon Ibanez, the richest man of El Pobo, Spain, burned \$3,000 of his fortune and emptied a jar of coins into his well. When shocked prospective heirs asked why, he replied, "I did it so that none would enjoy the income from the sweat of my brow."

Record As Novel Writer

Believed to have written more books than any living author, G. B. Burgin, of Highgate, London, is at work on his 114th novel. He has just celebrated his 80th birthday and has turned out at least two novels a year for 56 years.

On Interest To Dairymen

Milk Commissioners Met In Montreal To Discuss Mutual Problems

A meeting recently held in Montreal may have far-reaching consequences for Canadian dairy farmers. The provincial milk commissioners or other officials from five provinces held a three-day conference and discussed the mutual problems which are affecting the dairy industry. In addition three Western provinces although not represented had submitted written statements.

Welcomed at Quebec by Dr. J. A. Grenier, deputy minister of agriculture, the meeting was presided over by D. L. Mellish, member of the Municipal and Public Utility Board of Manitoba. After reading the statements of the Saskatchewan Milk Control Board, and the Alberta Utility Commissioners, Mr. Mellish then reviewed the situation in Manitoba.

Due to chaotic conditions in the whole milk trade of greater Winnipeg in 1931 the Municipal and Public Utilities Board had been empowered to stabilize the industry. Prices to the producer had dropped as low as 93 cents per cwt., and there was a danger of a scarcity of safe milk. The Utility Board then fixed the price the farmer was to get for his milk and what the consumer could buy it at. This automatically fixed the spread allowed to distributors, of which there are nine in Winnipeg.

So far the scheme has worked out satisfactorily and seven of the nine distributors are doing well. Last year 74,000,000 pounds of milk came into the city from 900 producers within a fifty mile radius, and 55,500,000 pounds of this was sold as fluid milk. The price was fixed last July at \$1.55 per cwt. for the ensuing four months, and \$1.81 (for 3.5 per cent. milk) for the rest of the year, and Mr. Mellish indicated that they hoped shortly to establish a uniform price throughout the whole year.

Removing Old Landmark

Big Tree In Stanley Park, Vancouver, Must Go

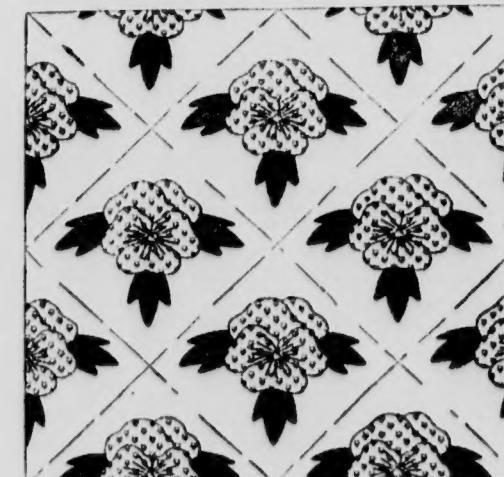
Many a prairie tourist will regret the passing of Stanley park's "big tree," that monster into which a car could be driven.

For, according to the Vancouver Sun, the Vancouver parks board has approved of the suggestion of W. M. Sellens, Vancouver banker, that the old stump be removed. It is said the tattered and ragged old tree long ago lost its charm and shrivelled and rotted away until now it is an eyesore.

Perhaps thousands of tourists best remember the big trees of Stanley park by this one example. Many snapshots were taken of it to be taken home by tourists as souvenirs.

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True Grandeur Of England

Spirit Of Liberty Finest Thing Bequeathed To World

The true grandeur of England is not found in any of the wars she has fought, whether those wars were right or wrong; it is found in that tremendous spirit of liberty which was engendered on English soil, a spirit that never failed to raise up mighty voices at home to denounce every British abuse.

When our forefathers revolted against English rule in 1775, they did but invoke the ancient spirit of liberty of their forefathers, and they were royally defended, even after hostilities had begun, by Lord Chatham in the House of Lords, and by Edmund Burke and Charles James Fox in the House of Commons; and it is probable that the Declaration of Independence would never have been signed but for the revolutionary pamphlet of Thomas Paine, an English Quaker, who arrived in America from England less than five months before the events at Lexington and Concord.

This spirit of liberty is the finest thing that England has bequeathed to us and to the world in general, and we would that it might become predominant. —San Francisco Argonaut.

The King's Horses

Has Leased Racing Horses To Lord Derby For Balance Of The Season

Though King Edward has no intention of severing the royal connection with the turf he has leased the 19 horses of the late King George to Lord Derby for the balance of this season.

Thus from the celebrated stables of the sporting peer will trot this spring and summer the favorites of his late majesty, still bearing his colors—a purple and scarlet jacket with a gold braid and a black velvet cap.

As Prince of Wales the present king showed more interest in steeplechasing and riding to the hounds but he is nevertheless a keen enthusiast of what has long been termed the "sport of kings." And this temporary lease in nowise indicates a cessation of the royal family's personal participation in horse racing.

Making Soldiers Polite

To "discourage swearing" among Italian troops, military chaplains are presenting to each soldier a little book of "short and fragrant anecdotes." The work is fully illustrated and small enough to fit a uniform pocket. It is hoped to make the fighters polite as well as efficient.

Prince Edward Island's colonial parliament building cost \$75,000 to build in 1847. Repairs on it effected last year will cost the province a like amount. It is probably the least costly of all Canada's provincial buildings, but its value in historic richness makes it prized across the Dominion. Romantic stories behind its graystone walls are the warp and woof of national structure.

The other day, Colonel Sidney Harvest, Gloucester mansions, London, sent the trustees of the confederation chamber, situated in the west wing, a portrait of his grandfather, Sir Charles Douglas Smith, who was governor of the island province from 1813 to 1825.

The portrait, now hanging in its rightful place, completes the array of governors and administrators from the time His Excellency Walter Patterson ruled in 1770. Twenty-eight governors and two administrators have been in office since that time.

Governor Patterson's grand-daughter, Margaret Gordon, who was born in Charlottetown, was Thomas Carlyle's first love and to-day is considered a quasi saint in Prince Edward Island.

They met in Kirkaldy, Scotland, when Carlyle, now occupying a high pedestal among world intellectuals, was then an obscure school teacher. Their romance was blighted by Margaret Gordon's adopted aunt, but through their lives the flame of love, burning so feverishly as is evident by their letters, became the inspiration for Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus."

Froude, the historian, has definitely identified Charlottetown's Margaret Gordon as the character of Blumine, "the Rose Goddess . . . the heaven's messengers . . . fair and golden as the dawn she rose upon my soul . . ." woven into Sartor Resartus.

Margaret Gordon as Lady Bannerman, 50 years later, returned to Charlottetown as the wife of the governor of Prince Edward Island, reigning as the first lady of the land. And still standing, not far from government house, is the little building where Margaret Patterson, the mother of "Blumine," first saw the light of day. Details of this romantic story may be pieced together from bits of information hiding in the province's archives.

Sir John A. Macdonald, Canada's first prime minister, wrote his occupation as "cabinet maker" when he signed his name in the visitor's book in the confederation chamber. It causes tourists to smile to-day.

Sir John and his "Upper Canadian" colleagues were the uninvited guests who came to the maritime province conference in 1864 and lifted the horizon from a maritime union to a national dominion from sea to sea.

In one corner of the museum are the first and last flags flown over Canadian troops in France during the great war.

In another, a heavy block of wood set with mowing blades and spikes, a relic of the days, not so long ago, when island farmers waged war on automobiles in an effort to keep them off the island. The missile, a crude scheme to puncture tires, was most effective, pioneers of motoring relate.

Just stones and mortar would not be sufficient to replace this old structure. The island's colonial building, housing valuable relics of the past, both crude and romantic, has become somewhat of a national shrine.

And history is still being made within its halls. Premier Walter Lea called together, in the assembly chamber, a session of the first parliament in the British empire to transact state business without an official opposition.

Starting Business In North

Jake Benton, who thinks whiskers at a mining frontier settlement are as unnecessary as anywhere else, arrived at McMurray by aeroplane from Athabasca, Alta. He had his barber chair with him. Owner and chair were flown to Goldfields, Alta., where the barber is going into business.

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Items of Interest

William Oliver Smith, Calgary,
was instantly killed Monday afternoon
in an auto accident a mile and a half south of Airdrie. Sam Miller,
Airdrie and Calgary, was taken to a
Calgary hospital suffering from a
broken leg, and minor injuries were
suffered by two other occupants of
the car, which turned over in the
ditch.

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A scene reminiscent of the old
cattle days was witnessed in Olds on
Saturday morning when more than
800 head of feeder cattle were un-
loaded at the C P R stockyards and
driven in one herd to the Riverside
Stock Farm, 20 miles northwest,
where they will be fed for the re-
mainder of the winter. The shipment
consisted of 15 cars, 10 from Cayley
and 5 from Stavely, from where
they have been transferred by Burns
Ranches Ltd. due to a shortage of
feed in the south.

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Agreement between the provincial
and federal governments for policing
of the province by Royal Canadian
Mounted Police was signed by Premier
Aberhart on Monday. Under the
terms of the agreement the province
will pay a lump sum of \$250,000 for
the period commencing April 1,
1936 and ending March 21, 1937.

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Legislation to provide for equalizing
payments to farmers on 1930
pool wheat will be introduced in
parliament within a fortnight, Prime
Minister Mackenzie King told the
house of commons Tuesday.

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Alberta's rink from Edmonton
suffered its second straight defeat
Tuesday in the Macdonald brier
competition for the dominion curling
championship at Toronto, losing
to Manitoba 14-6. In the afternoon,
however, the George Wanless team
defeated Prince Edward Island.

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The formal resignation of Mr
Justice Howson from the legislature
was read by Speaker N. E. Tanner
at the opening of the Tuesday after-
noon session of the house. As soon
as the house opened Clerk-of-the-
Assembly R. A. Andison announced
to the members that a vacancy in
the house existed, whereupon Speaker
Tanner read the resignation of the
former leader of the Liberal opposi-
tion, who as W. R. Howson, K.C.,
had represented Edmonton in the
legislature since 1930.

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Some people are born dumb;
others acquire dumbness, and others
take off their overcoats when getting
weighed—and hold them on their
arms.

Thanks.

Will the neighbors and friends
who so kindly sent Walter the flowers
during his recent illness in High
River, please accept our many
thanks.—MR AND MRS MCINNES.

Burnside Notes.

Weather and roads permitting,
the concert and dance will be held
in the Hall on Friday, March 6.

Born, on Friday, February 21 to
Mr and Mrs Joe Davidson, a son.

Gus Bittner spent Sunday with
Bob Locke.

Jack Clark and Vivian Jenkins
spent Sunday at the Campbell home.

Mr. Miller Huston, of Ailingham,
visited Mr. Percy Saunders on Sun-
day.

Mrs. Fred Thompson, Alfie, and
Reg Jamieson were Saturday dinner
guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark.

Mrs. Chris Ehret, Esther and
Elmer, and Miss Alberta Metz, also
the Misses Cassie and Irene Camp-
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Weekly News Letter

from Edmonton.
By T. B. WINDROSS

EDMONTON—(Press Gallery)—This week the big event of the legislature took place Monday when Hon. Charles Cockcroft, provincial treasurer, presented his budget to the house in a speech which had many notable features. The budget is remarkable in that for the first time for some years the provincial treasurer has budgeted for a surplus, stated in the estimates as \$34,222 after transferring from capital account to income account expenditure for direct relief estimated at \$1,497,666 and provision of \$718,453 for the sinking fund. Mr. Cockcroft explained that it was considered the income account was the proper place for the above items and not capital account.

An interesting and important feature of the budget is its provision for care by the government of free treatment for all tuberculosis patients in the interests of the health of the citizens, and for expenditure of \$100,000 to provide additional accommodation for these patients in the already established hospitals.

Municipalities will also be interested in the plan to carry 25 per cent of the 50 per cent of relief costs now borne by the cities, thus reducing their burden from 50 to 25 per cent.

New taxation is provided for in an increase in the income tax to bring it into line with other provinces. This is estimated to yield an increase in revenue. The estimated revenue from this tax is \$1,200,000 as compared with \$650,000 last year.

A sales tax will be levied on the ultimate purchasers of commodities from which the gross revenue is estimated at \$2,000,000. A social service tax is to replace the supplementary revenue tax with an added estimated revenue of \$323,000 or a total of \$1,223,000.

An increased subsidy payment from the Dominion of \$243,000, is based on the increase of the population to over 800,000 expected to be shown in the quinquennial census to be taken this year. An estimated increase in revenue of \$300,000 from the Liquor Board taking over the distribution of beer, and also from increased prices of liquors, is included in the estimated revenue.

A loss in revenue is anticipated from the change in the motor license year beginning from April 1 instead of January 1. The tax on wild land will be dropped.

Members of the legislature had a 3 day holiday during the week, the house adjourning Tuesday afternoon for Ash Wednesday and continuing adjourned until Monday, March 2. Before adjournment Premier Aberhart stated the legislature was well advanced with its work and therefore could spare time for the holiday. But Liberal Leader Howson and Conservative Leader Duggan, while agreeing to the holiday, disagreed with the statement that the work was well advanced. Mr. Howson said, "We have been here three weeks now and nothing has been done."

During the interval Major Douglas has continued to hold a central place in the speculative interest of the public. When he heard of the statement made in the house that he had been paid a sum exceeding \$6,400 by the Alberta government for his services in 1934-35, he promptly denied he had received any such sum and later examination of the province's accounts showed he was right to the extent of \$300 and a little more.

Then the London founder of Social Credit astonished the public and surprised nobody more than Premier Aberhart by stating in an interview in London to a Canadian journalist that he was not engaged by the Alberta government to prepare a plan of social credit for Alberta.

He insisted that no such contract is mentioned in the agreement or correspondence between himself and the provincial government. Comment on this situation would be useless as there is no way of checking up on the Major's statement and there has been so much misrepresentation in connection with the situation between the London exponent of social credit and Premier Aberhart in the press that it will be wiser to withhold comment until more is known.

Certainly Premier Aberhart ex-

pects Major Douglas to help in providing a plan of social credit for the province and he has been awaiting his arrival here for the purpose of consulting him on social credit legislation. Premier Aberhart says he cannot understand Major Douglas' statement. But it should be clear that "reconstruction adviser" might include in its meaning "social credit adviser," whatever the Major or the newspapers say about it.

This week the most interesting of all the bills to be introduced by the government will be before the members for first reading at least. It is the social credit enabling bill which was delayed in its journey to the assembly by the holiday last week. What treatment it will receive is of interest, but it may be affirmed that in the long run, whatever the opposition, it will be given third reading and passed into law.

The recall measure will also be made law following its course through the legislature. The education bill is said not to be as ready for presentation as the other two important bills. It is being given minor changes to meet suggestions by Social Credit members and to meet some objections voiced by its opponents as much as is consistent with its purpose. The main principle will be unchanged it is learned.

The Premier has met with a difficulty in connection with his Sunday night broadcast of the address at the Edmonton Bible Conference. Complaints received by radio fans at the substitution of the conference broadcast for some regular Sunday night musical programs and the Canadian Press news bulletins' delay have caused the Radio Commission to notify the premier that his broadcast cannot be given over CJCA at that hour after March 8.

There is a feeling in the mind of the premier and other members of the government that politics enter into the ban to some extent, but whether this is, or is not so, is hard to say. In any case the Bible Conference will have to be broadcast over another station if it is to be heard between 8 and 9:30 on Sunday evenings. What arrangements are to be made the premier himself will announce over the air.

Legislation prohibiting barbers, hairdressers, beauty parlor operators, plumbers, auto mechanics, steam fitters, gas fitters and other tradesmen from following their respective trade or profession, unless in possession of a government proficiency certificate, has been introduced in the legislature.

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Budget Coffee	per lb	23c
Golden Rule Cocoa	per lb	15c
Aylmer Plum Jam	4 lb tin	39c
Aylmer Orange Marmalade	4 lb tin	45c
Empress Pure Strawberry & Raspberry Jam	4 lb tin	55c
Raymore Sweet Mixed Pickles	26 ounce	25c
Maple Leaf Soap Chips	5 lb box	65c
Shinola Wax-1s	per tin	19c
Palmolive Soap	5 bars	23c
Dates—Sair, bulk	3 lbs	25c
Prunes	10 lb wooden box	85c
Evaporated Peaches—Cellophane	1 lb	20c
Evaporated Apricots—Cellophane	1 lb	29c
Corn Beef—Helmet brand	2 tins	23c
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

DE. P. J. Kelly, of the University of Glasgow, announced that he would leave to take charge of a British ambulance unit in Ethiopia.

The late Lord Dalziel, prominent British newspaper publisher, left nearly £400,000 (about \$2,000,000) to the government to apply against its public debt.

The house of assembly rejected by a large majority a suggestion the Union of South Africa should remain neutral in any war not concerning her. The vote was 94-14.

Laws to strengthen Belgium's national defences soon will be introduced in parliament, Premier and Foreign Minister Paul Van Zeeland announced in a speech on the international situation.

Persistent rumors Prime Minister Mackenzie King would visit England in the immediate or near future were set at rest by his statement he would not leave Canada while parliament was in session.

Members of the Flying Clubs of Canada Association spent 13,807 hours in the air during 1935, compared to 10,581 in 1934, the association was told at the opening of its convention at Hamilton, Ont., by Secretary George M. Ross.

Air-conditioning equipment will be in operation on a number of the more heavily travelled lines of both railway companies during the coming summer, a joint statement issued by the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways stated.

Building permits issued in Greater Vancouver during January this year totalled \$377,395, more than 3½ times greater than the total for the corresponding month of 1935 when permits were issued for buildings valued at \$97,035.

New World Record

Hank Cleman, Of Toronto, Sets New Mark For Mile Walk

Hank Cleman, Toronto's renowned pedestrian, is the new world record-holder for the one mile walk. The Achilles club veteran stepped off the distance in six minutes 23.7 seconds at the Millrose track and field carnival in Madison Square Garden, New York, to surpass both existing marks.

He not only cracked the indoor mark of 6:37.2, set by Mike Pecora four years ago in the Garden, but surpassed the long standing world outdoor record of 6:25.8, made by the great Canadian, George Goulding, at Montreal, in 1910.

Advertising Brings Results

Tourist advertising pays. Mr. J. D. Burton, chairman of the tourist committee, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, says an advertisement in a New York paper brought 200 direct queries and one tourist family paid for the whole season's advertising in goods purchased at Yarmouth stores. Direct evidence of that sort cannot be thrown lightly aside.

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Secret Documents

Papers Show How Woodrow Wilson Guided U.S. Neutrality Policy

Secret documents of the U.S. state department disclosed how Woodrow Wilson personally charted the government's neutrality policy in the stirring days prior to United States' entrance into the Great War.

Page proofs of notes, letters, memoranda and other official documents which the department will publish soon include the rough outline of an early note to Germany, protesting unrestricted submarine warfare, drafted by the wartime president himself.

The draft was submitted to William Jennings Bryan, then secretary of state, April 22, 1915, as a result of the death of Leon Chester Thrasher, an American citizen, in the sinking of the British vessel Falaba March 28 in the Irish sea by German submarines.

Wilson proposed the protest should be placed "on very high grounds," and not be limited to the loss of one citizen's life.

His decision determining United States' policy was made soon after the first submarine sinkings, long before the destruction of the Lusitania and other ships inflamed American public opinion against ruthless undersea warfare.

Movable Sidewalks

Will Carry Passengers A Mile In Four Minutes

The "bi-way" sidewalk, a substitute for subways, which will carry its passengers a mile in a little more than four minutes, was described in its latest form to the American Institute of Electrical Engineers at New York.

The biway is a double sidewalk, one beside the other, one which starts and stops, while its companion never stops, but loads from its intermittent companion. Norman W. Storer, of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company of East Pittsburg, said biways would cost less to construct and instal than subways and use less power.

Storer credited Ebenezer Hawkins of Islip, L.I., with originating the biway idea in 1874.

In the latest plan the never-stop, or express sidewalk, moves at an average speed of 15 miles an hour, in cycles in which its speed ranges from 12½ miles an hour to 16½.

With the slower speed of the express, the start-stop sidewalk synchronizes every 42 seconds, to enable passengers to get on or off the express. The express sidewalk is fitted with chairs. The local sidewalk has no seats, but is fitted with handrails.

Lived Century In Caravan

Woman 103 Had Never Spent Day In A House

Old Mrs. Honour Matthews was born in a caravan. It was her cradle, her perambulator, her carriage for 103 years, and in a caravan she died.

Never in all her life did this wonderful old lady spend a day in a house. Throughout a life which began when William the Fourth was king she travelled, first with her parents and then with her showman husband, through the length and breadth of England.

Almost to her last day she could thread a needle without glasses; and when for her came the day when her eyes closed for ever, her sons and daughters were about her in the caravan.

Naval Construction

Four Powers Agree To Plan To Announce Program Each Year

The international naval conference agreed to a plan by which Great Britain, the United States, France and Italy will announce at the first of each year what their naval construction will be during the following 12 months.

The plan, offered as a compromise in an effort to limit the possibilities of a naval construction race, was the first major agreement reached by the conference in nearly three months of work.

Royal graves are believed to abound on Iona Island, where, it is said, 48 Scottish, four Irish, and eight Danish and Norwegian kings lie buried.

To Stop War

Canada Cannot Take A Detached View Of World Affairs

Canada does not hold a "reserved seat" from which she can take an academic and detached view of world affairs, John W. Dafoe, president and editor-in-chief of the Winnipeg Free Press, warned in an address before the Empire Club of Canada at Toronto recently.

Decrying the idea that "differences and problems" across the sea meant little to the Dominion, the western editor asserted this country, with the rest of the nations, was "in the vortex and would suffer with the world if the wrong road was taken."

He spoke on "Roads to the Future", charting the course he said must be followed if the future were to be safeguarded. The three essentials for the building of a safe road, he said, were collective peace, collective machinery for the adjustment of frictions and inequalities in peace-time and a reliance upon the mechanics of democratic government.

The first step was to stop war, "if this be possible." A world for humans to live in could not be built while war was a recurrent possibility. Until peace was attained, "dealers in human 'futures' might as well take a holiday."

Advance In Medical Science

Two Unusual Cases Successfully Treated In Toronto

Successful treatment of two unusual cases in Toronto General hospital in 1935 was revealed in the hospital's annual report.

Using radium and X-ray, the hospital cured a 24-year-old Polish emigrant of rhinoscleroma—queer malady that turns the skin and mucous membranes of the nosopharynx to stony hardness. The patient was discharged after four months' treatment, the report said.

The other case was the providing of a woman patient with a new esophagus and pharynx, saving her from threatened starvation. The report described how "a tube of skin was infolded to replace the esophagus and pharynx." The operation was so successful the woman was on a full normal diet and had gained 15 pounds when she was discharged.

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Dominion Drama Festival

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Vancouver Club Chosen To Represent British Columbia

The Progressive Arts Club of Vancouver will represent British Columbia at the Dominion Drama festival in Ottawa in April.

The Vancouver club was chosen as the coast's representative when adjudicator Allan Wade awarded them first place in the British Columbia competition for their presentation of the social drama, "Waiting for Lefty."

"Lazarus Laughed," two scenes from the play by Eugene O'Neill, presented by the Vancouver Little Theatre Association, was second choice.

Another Smuggling Trick

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CHAPTER VI.—Continued

"You bet!" Bush warned earnestly. "From now till I see water backed up in that dam—if you build one and if it really works—I wouldn't trust a soul if I was in your boots, Link. But say," he added, as both men swerved their horses to depart, "if things get real tough, we both got smoke-irons that usually work when we pull the trigger. We think you're all wrong and foolhardy too—but remember that anyhow. So long, Link!"

He watched them out of sight in the darkness. Then shrugging his shoulders, he rode for the ranch house. Mention of the dam had reminded him of the plans drawn by Soak Torney for the country-wide irrigation. He wanted to re-examine them to learn whether they could be modified to suit his altered purpose.

When he entered the ranch house it was to find the place cold and lonely. Link set to work to build a

fire in the squat, long-unused iron stove. He fumbled for a match but found none. Turning to the small kitchen, he spied the roll of blueprints, and at once his attention swerved. He spread them out on the slab table, holding them down with his hands while he began to study them.

Torney had planned a large dam to be built where Link's property adjoined that of Benson, the small rancher from Kilgo. In a wedge shape the Hamilton Triple H came in just at this point. Would it be possible for Link and Helen to construct a smaller dam upstream that would suffice for their two spreads?

Poring over the prints, he became convinced that such a change could be made. That chap, Tom McLendon, if he could be lured to Rawhide, could revise these drawings. And if they could complete a cut-off for Silver Creek before heavy snows came, it might be possible also to get in the foundations before winter set in. This cold spell, he knew, was but temporary. If the project could be hurried there was promise of a mid-summer crop of alfalfa to sell their skeptical neighbors!

The Star Loop owner roused from his immersion in thought of the scheme to realize that he had not yet started a fire in the stove. Going again to the kitchen, he returned with several matches in his hand. He approached the open stove and struck one on his boot, then tossed it inside.

The thin pine shavings took eager light. Link closed the door and turned back to the plans.

That was the last he knew. For with the suddenness of a thunder-clap in the reverberating hills, the entire ranch house seemed to burst into flame. There was a terrific roar. The very walls seemed to swell outward, and with force and concussion that hurled him against the far wall, the iron stove burst into bits as an explosion rocked the room.

CHAPTER VII.

The red glow of the burning ranch house was visible several miles over the prairie. Like a shaft of crimson the fire rose higher and higher, crackling in malicious glee as it devoured tinder-dry clap-boarding. Horses trotted whinnying their alarm to the far end of the corral, to huddle there with ears laid back, their tawny bodies reddened against the bars.

The shock had awakened Sime Haltby, by chance the only Star Loop hand in the bunkhouse. Sime, so it developed later, should not have been asleep at this time, but out with the remuda.

Shaken from his bunk by the terrific jar, he landed on his feet, dazed and startled. Seizing a gun, he rushed from the low bunkhouse—to stop aghast. His watery grey eyes went round. His cavernous jaw slackened, and for once Haltby forgot to tug at his ear. Veteran of many a cowland accident, he reasoned instantly that someone must be inside the ranch house, hence the explosion.

Already the fire groped hungrily toward the roof. Sime dashed to the rain barrel, found a thin skimming of ice on it, and broke it with a hard fist. He splashed the chill water over his clothing in a swift effort to soak himself. Then without hesitation he rushed to the front door of the house, and shading his eyes from the fearful heat, peered inside for sign of his employer.

Face-down and utterly unconscious, Link sprawled in the track of the fire that gnawed into dry flooring. Haltby sprang to his side. Kneeling, he pulled the rancher's arm around his neck. Then he grasped Fleming's knees and started outside with his burden.

Once he stumbled and almost dropped his employer. Somehow he kept on through licking tongues of fire that made the clothes of both men smoke as though any instant they would burst alive with flame. The sharp night wind struck them like a blow, its smart and sting painful to their scorched faces.

Link moaned. "Hang on!" Sime mumbled, coughing from the heavy smoke.

As he reached the corral and sank exhausted beside the juniper rails, hoofbeats sounded nearer. A man swept around the curve of the enclosure, and another. Waco Byrne hit the ground and came running.

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"Link! Say, is he dead?"

Haltby was in another spell of coughing. He shook his head. At once Byrne dropped on his knees. "Ell," he flung at Tasker, his companion, "get Sime in the bunkhouse. Pour some liquor in him. There's bear grease for his burns in a can on the shelf; it's the best thing there is." He squinted at Fleming, then placed his ear close to his lips. "Breathe in, all right. What the tarnation hooligans made the hull shebang go like that?"

Tasker was draping his fellow-waddle over his shoulder like a bag of flour. "Think the other buildin's'll catch?"

"We can't do anything about it now. The wind is changin', though. Let's tend these hombres; there'll be folks arrivin' soon. Always gather fast to celebrate bad luck."

"It means we can't start the dam this Fall. And next Spring it will be harder than ever to finance. It means hiring extra men, for we won't be able to spare any from our steers. There's the cost of new planes, too, and the loss of the alfalfa we'd have." The girl stopped. "How did this happen, Link?"

He told her as much as he knew. "I tossed a match in the stove and waited to see the pine shavings catch. Then I closed the door and stepped back to the plans again. Had them spread out on the table. It looked pretty plain that we could alter Torney's work a little and build our dam upstream. All the directions were there how the job should be done."

He scowled past her, toward the door. "Why should a stove blow up like that? The pipe was open. There must have been dynamite in it, Helen."

"Dynamite!" A shudder racked her lissome figure. "Oh Link, I was—I was afraid you—"

"Mr. Lincoln Fleming, Esquire, here?"

(To Be Continued)

An Unusual Accident

Static In Cat's Fur Causes Explosion

In Gas Chamber

Inspector E. G. McDonald of Hamilton, Ont., was the victim of burns and shock from a remarkable sequence of events—a cat, a gas chamber and static electricity.

The inspector took a stray cat to the gas chamber at the city pound. The cat objected, squirming in a lively manner as McDonald thrust it into the gas. Friction in the fur created static electricity.

There was a bang. McDonald recovered consciousness on his back, his clothing blown or burned from his body. The chamber was knocked to pieces. The cat hasn't been seen since.

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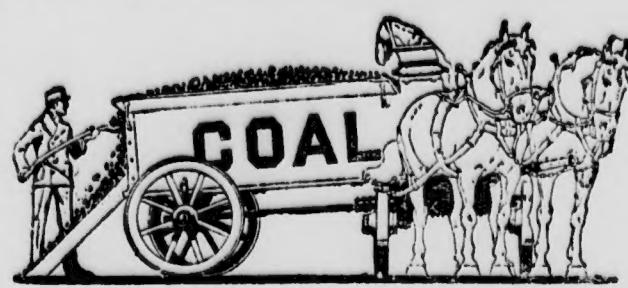
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Mixed Bonspiel.

The mixed bonspiel closed last Thursday, the second event being brought to the fours on Wednesday and the finals of each event played Thursday.

In the semi-finals of the major event Heselton beat Liesemer, while Sinclair took first prize, beating Heselton in the finals.

Werde and Johnson went into the finals of the second event, beating Ross and McGhee. In the final event Johnson got the best of Werde to take first prize.

Burnside S.D. Oppose Proposed School Act

A meeting of the Burnside school district was held Saturday to discuss the proposed change in the School Act.

The matter was thoroughly discussed and the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"The Ratepayers of Burnside S.D. \$28, at a well attended meeting held in the school house today, wish to go on record as being entirely opposed to the proposed larger school area and to any change being made in the existing methods of entering into, or terminating, teachers' contracts."

Copies of the resolution have been sent to Premier Aberhart and Mr. E. P. Foster, local member of the legislature.

Imports Good Stallion.

Mr. Charles Brown has purchased a Clydesdale stallion of particularly good breeding from J. E. Falconer, of Ethelton, Sask. The colt's name is "Call Again" by "Fivie Again."

The dam is "Perf-et Link" who has 14 grand championships to her credit, including Toronto and Chicago. She was sired by the celebrated "Lochinvar," 4 times grand champion at both the Royal Toronto and Chicago.

Evangelical Church Notes

The pastor will speak on the "Meaning of Lent" at the morning service on Sunday. In the evening there will be an exchange of pulpits between the United, Evangelical and M.B.C. Churches. Rev. J. R. Geeson will preach at Zion Church; Rev. F. Vincent at Knox, and Rev. H. J. Wood at the M.B.C. Church.

The pastor is planning a series of Lenten sermons at the morning services during March, on the "Sing That Crucified Jesus." The evening services will consist of a series of sermons on the Cross. These will be presented from the viewpoint of youth and the young people are especially invited to these services.

Things To Remember

The Didsbury Band has arranged to hold another dance on Friday, March 6. "Darkie" and his Plaza Orchestra will again supply the music.

St. Cyprian's W.A. Tea and Sale of Home-cooking at the home of Mrs. Booker, Saturday, March 14. Members are asked to bring donations to the fund sale.

"The Eyes of Love"—Comedy Drama in 3 acts, to be presented by local players in the Opera House on Friday, March 27. Further announcements will follow.

Archie Boyce plans to hold a Community Auction Sale in March. List anything you have to sell with C. E. Reiber.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mrs. Dr. Clarke and Bruce visited relatives at Edmonton over weekend.

Mr. Norman Snyder was a visitor to Edmonton over the weekend.

Mr. J. Frey, of Acadia Valley, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Snyder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCloy and Mr. C. E. Reiber attended the ice carnival at Calgary on Friday night.

Mr. Dave Jenkins left Thursday for Calgary where he attended the Union Caterpillar tractor school.

Miss Bernice McGhee, of Calgary, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGhee.

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Mrs. W. J. McCoy was an Edmonton visitor last weekend. Mrs. A. E. Krebs was also in the capital city.

Mr. Abner Hunsperger, who has been taking medical treatment at Edmonton for several weeks, returned home Saturday.

St. Cyprian's W.A. tea and sale of home-cooking at the home of Mrs. Booker, postponed Saturday last, will be held Saturday, March 14, at the same place.

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Mr. H. Morgan, who is president of the Dominion Postmasters' Association, left on Friday for Ottawa, where he is attending a meeting of the executive of the association.

Messrs. Bob Eubank, Bob Goeder, Alf Brusso and George Geiger were among those who attended the ice carnival in the southern city Saturday night.

Mr. Almond Taylor and family, who for the past two years have farmed the Mose Good place, left on Tuesday for Kamloops, B.C. where they will make their home.

Burnie Dodd, who has conducted an electric welding establishment here for some time, moved to Olds on Monday and will work in conjunction with one of the garages at that point.

Jack McCloy, Jim McGhee, Ivan Weber and Clint Reiber went to Calgary on Saturday and took part in the bonspiel at the Glencoe Club. They won the first game but lost out in the second.

Spring is Just Around the Corner and now is the time to get your Harness Repaired at T. E. Scott's

The monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Miss Zillah Cressman on Thursday, March 12 at the regular hour. The topic, "Social Hygiene," will be taken by Mrs. Oldham. All ladies will be made welcome.

There is a good business in hay and grain which is being used for relief purposes. A number of cars of feed have been shipped out this week. With the roads opening up, it is expected there will be large shipments of feed from this point.

Mr. Ed Rieder returned Saturday from a trip to his old home in Ontario. He visited friends in Chicago, Toronto, Kitchener and other points. He says we may have had it cold here, but thinks that the cold down east was worse than in Alberta.

To perpetuate the memory of King George V, Sir Percy Vincent, lord mayor of London, has issued invitations to the lords-lieutenant, lords provost, lord mayors and leaders of communities in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, to a meeting in the Mansion House on March 12.

Howard Stranghan, who has spent the last five months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hunsperger, returned to his home northeast of Edmonton last Thursday. He will be remembered here for the part he played in the Didsbury Canadiens hockey team.

Rugby W.I. held a whist drive last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. D. Evans, the hostesses being Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Hogg. Honors went to Mrs. J. Hosegood and Mr. O. Krebs and consolations to Mrs. E. B. Parker and Colin Hogg. A very enjoyable evening was concluded with the serving of lunch.

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